

I do not think the statute goes far enough. Restricting the use of auto-dialers and pre-recorded messages is insufficient. It should include anybody calling you in an attempt to sell you something, preiod. I have been on my state's no call list for almost one year now and the number of calls I get has dropped dramatically so I know that this type of system works.

Ironically, the use of auto-dialers actually aids in avoiding telemarketers if you know what to listen for when you answer the phone. For many years, I have been answering the phone listening for a click after saying hello. If I hear it (a sign that an auto-dialer is transferring to a live operator) I hang up.

Do not watter this statute down, beef it up and put some teeth in to it!